

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF NORTH BRUNSWICK
AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE NEW JERSEY
STATE SPONSORED CONDUCTED ENERGY DEVICE (CED) ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, while there currently are more than 400 conducted energy devices – commonly known as “stun guns” – deployed by law enforcement agencies across New Jersey, including police departments in most counties, county prosecutors and police chiefs have indicated that the high cost of stun guns is a primary reason why the devices are not being utilized in greater numbers with the cost of a state-approved stun gun, with accessories and related equipment totaling approximately \$2,500 per unit; and

WHEREAS, in June 2014, Acting Attorney General John J. Hoffman announced that the Attorney General’s Office is providing \$1 million in funding to assist law enforcement agencies in purchasing stun guns, which can serve as a lifesaving alternative to deadly force in certain crisis situations; and

WHEREAS, by the State distributing \$1 million to qualifying agencies over the next year through the county prosecutors’ offices, the Attorney General’s Office’s goal is to reduce the cost of stun guns so police departments can increase the number of devices available to their officers; and

WHEREAS, the Township previously applied for participation in the State sponsored CED Assistance Program, which covers a percentage of three stun guns and related equipment on a sliding scale; and


WHEREAS, the Township has received notification for approval of funding to offset the purchase of three stun gun and related equipment totaling \$5,080.92.

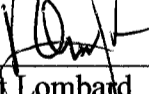
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey hereby recognizes the following:

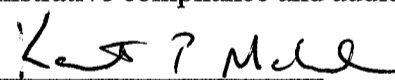
- 1. The Township Council does hereby authorize application and acceptance of a budget plan for the purchase of three stun guns and related equipment under the State sponsored CED Assistance Program in the amount of:

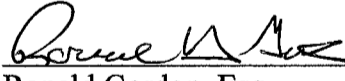
CED Assistance Program Grant Amount: \$2,663.34
Municipal Match: \$2,417.58

- 2. The Township Council acknowledges the terms and conditions for administering the CED Assistance Program grant, including the administrative compliance and audit requirements.


Kala Srinanganathan
Chief Financial Officer


Robert Lombard
Business Administrator



Kenneth McCormick
Director of Public Safety


Ronald Gordon, Esq.
Township Attorney
Approved as to legal form

RECORDED VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
NARRA	A			
NICOLA 1	✓			
CORBIN	✓			
DAVIS	✓			
SOCIO 2	✓			
ANDREWS	A			
MAYOR WOMACK				

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution passed by the Township Council of North Brunswick at a meeting duly held on the 4th day of May 2015.


Lisa Russo
Township Clerk

C: K. McCormick
g. Proctor
K. Srinanganathan